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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Tadahiro OHMI et al.  
Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE  
AND METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING THE  
SAME  
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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION**  
**TRANSMITTAL**

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PO Box 1450  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (4 pages).
- Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (68 pages).
- Formal drawings (13 sheets, Figures 1-12, 13A-13B, 14-20, 21A-21B, 22).
- Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (1 page).
- Assignment of the invention to Tadahiro OHMI (2 pages).
- Claim for Convention Priority and 3 Priority Documents.
- Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages).
- Form PTO/SB/08 with 9 listed references only submitting 6 references.

The filing fee is calculated below:

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Basic Fee				\$770.00 =	\$770.00
Total	76	- 20	= 56	x \$18.00 =	\$1,008.00
Claims:					
Independents	11	- 3	= 8	x \$86.00 =	\$688.00
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If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present:				+ \$290.00 =	\$0.00
				SUBTOTAL: =	\$2,466.00
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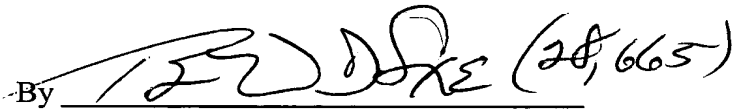
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